



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

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For:

DEVICE FOR SURFACE TREATMENT AND/OR COATING AND/OR PRODUCING CONSTRUCTION ELEMENTS, IN PARTICULAR, FLAT CONSTRUCTION ELEMENTS OF GLASS, GLASS ALLOYS

OR METAL, BY A CONTINUOUS PROCESS

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AMENDMENT

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Applicant hereby requests a three-month extension of the original shortened statutory period set in the Office Action of August 1, 2003. Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$475 in payment of the small-entity government fee for a three-month

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extension of time.

In response to the Office action dated August 1, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.